

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
for the

Western District of North Carolina

United States of America)
v.)
Paul Monroe Covington, Sr.) Case No: 3:99CR024-04
) USM No: 13963-058
Date of Previous Judgment: 12/21/2000) Tanzania C. Cannon-Eckerle
(Use Date of Last Amended Judgment if Applicable)) Defendant's Attorney

Order Regarding Motion for Sentence Reduction Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2)

Upon motion of ☒ the defendant ☐ the Director of the Bureau of Prisons ☐ the court under 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2) for a reduction in the term of imprisonment imposed based on a guideline sentencing range that has subsequently been lowered and made retroactive by the United States Sentencing Commission pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 994(u), and having considered such motion,

IT IS ORDERED that the motion is:

☐ DENIED. ☒ GRANTED and the defendant's previously imposed sentence of imprisonment (as reflected in the last judgment issued) of 131 months **is reduced to** 120 months.

I. COURT DETERMINATION OF GUIDELINE RANGE (Prior to Any Departures)

Previous Offense Level: 38 Amended Offense Level: 36
Criminal History Category: II Criminal History Category: II
Previous Guideline Range: 262 to 327 months Amended Guideline Range: 210 to 262 months

II. SENTENCE RELATIVE TO AMENDED GUIDELINE RANGE

- ☐ The reduced sentence is within the amended guideline range.
☒ The previous term of imprisonment imposed was less than the guideline range applicable to the defendant at the time of sentencing as a result of a departure or Rule 35 reduction, and the reduced sentence is comparably less than the amended guideline range.
☐ Other (explain):


III. ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Except as provided above, all provisions of the judgment dated 12/21/2000 shall remain in effect.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Order Date: August 11, 2008

Effective Date: _____
(if different from order date)


Frank D. Whitney
United States District Judge 